

U.S. Department of Labor

Mine Safety and Health Administration

MSHA's Small Mine Office—Serving the small mines in America



Week 41

Location: _____ Supervisor: _____

Date: _____

Time: _____

Duration: _____

1) Ladders

- ☐ Make sure rungs are securely fastened to the ladder rails and not cracked or rusted
- ☐ Never stand on the top steps of a ladder
- ☐ Remove damaged ladders from service until they are repaired or replaced

2) Personal Protective Equipment

- ☐ Wear suitable protective footwear-ensure proper fit
- ☐ Keep shoes free from grease, oil, and other contaminating material
- ☐ Inspect your shoes often and replace as necessary
- ☐ Make sure footwear is selected based upon hazard assessment

3) Rigging for a lift

- ☐ When using an approved lifting chain be certain the links are straight to avoid twisting the links
- ☐ When using wire rope slings and chokers inspect for broken strands, discard and replace if damaged
- ☐ Use slings and chains that are capable of lifting the load. Know the load amount and rigging limits.

Attendees:

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Employees Comments: